# Council Proceedings.

*COUNCIL CHAMBER, October* 10, 1887.

A meeting of the City Council was held Oct. 10th in the Council Chamber. Present—His Worship the Mayor (in the chair), Aldermen Charles Taylor, Jarvis, Davis, Greer, Moule, Hooke, Skinner, Moore, Vining, Dreaney, McIntosh, Heaman.

### COMMUNICATIONS.

From W. R. Meredith, Q.C., City Solicitor, enclosing by-laws for changing the names of streets and the appointment of an Assessment Commissioner. No. 1.

From Jones & Wall, W. Y. Brunton & Son, Neil Cooper and R. Barry, auctioneers, complaining that licenses had been granted illegally and without payment of sufficient fees, to D Grand, J Brady, of Ingersoll, P C Barnard, — Bond, R M McElheran and — Pierson, and claiming justice in the matter. No. 3.

M. A. Church, appeal against excessive taxation. No. 1.

Elliot & Toothe, on behalf of Geo. W. Pitt, claiming damages for an injury by tripping over a raised flagstone walk near his shop. No. 2.

Edward Franklin, a consumptive patient in the Hospital, asking to be sent to England. No. 3.

Communication from Agnes Mitchell, protesting against the walk on Bathurst street being constructed with a jog. Referred to the Engineer to carry out the wishes of the Council.

E. Webb, complaining of being charged license fee of $4 for selling cakes at Fair time. No. 3.

J. W. Pocock, objecting to pay a year's taxes on lot purchased from London Trust. No. 1.

H. E. Nelles, claim for damages to a horse and rig at the corner of Waterloo and Oxford streets by the horse falling into a culvert. No. 2.

Joseph Bunn, asking two days' pay instead of one for services as constable in the municipal election. No. 1.

W. H. Cary, re taxes on property near the small-pox hospital. No. 1.

Hugh Ashton, appeal against dog tax. No. 1.

From the Secretary of the Water Commissioners, enclosing resolution asking permission to apply revenue in procuring necessary springs, to cost about $50,000.

Ald. C. Taylor wanted the report of Mr. Robinson, the late engineer, read.

Ald. Davis asked that the report be referred to No. 1 Committee. He had no objection to give it to the press.

Ald. Davis' motion to refer the matter to No. 1 Committee was carried on the following vote: —

Yeas—Ald Jarvis, Davis, Moore, Vining, Dreaney, McIntosh, Heaman.

Nays—Ald. Chas. Taylor, Greer, Moule, Hook, Skinner.

John Ferguson & Sons, application for exemption. Exemption Committee.

Thomas Green, for $10,000 bonus and exemption for ten years with free water. Exemption Committee.

London Furniture Co., for exemption and free water for ten years. Exemption Committee.

E. R. Stevenson, application for free use of City Hall on Thanksgiving day for a meeting. Granted.

Nicholas Pollard, *re* his agreement as caretaker of Queen's Park, which he understood was for a year. No. 2

O. Elwood, Secretary A.O.F., for free use of Queen's Park and race course on 2nd July, 1888. Granted, subject to next year's Council.

From Parke, Mills & Purdom, claiming damages for J. W. Henry on account of a defective walk, causing him injury. No. 2.

T. Maker, application for East End Hall on Oct. 21. City Chamberlain.

Ann McDonough, for remission of taxes] No. 1.